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IN THE SPECFICATION:

Please amend the paragraphs beginning on page 7, line 11, and ending before line 20 of page 7 of the specification as follows:

The invention is described further together with enclosed figures showing different embodiments of the invention whereby,

[[-f]]Figure la - lc shows in cross-section a joint for a panel according to a first embodiment of the present invention[[.]];

Figure 1a shows the joint in an exploded cross-section view;

Figure 1b shows the joint of figure 1a in an assembled cross-section view;

Figure 1c shows the joint of figure 1b in stress due to moisture levels.

[[-f]]Figure 2 shows in cross-section a joint for a panel according to a [[third]] second embodiment of the present invention.

[[-f]]Figure 3<u>a-3c</u> shows in cross-section a joint for a panel according to a third embodiment of the present invention[[.]];

Figure 3a shows the joint in an exploded cross-section view;

Figure 3b shows the joint of figure 3a in an assembled cross-section view;

Figure 3c shows the joint of figure 3b in stress due to moisture levels.

-Amend page 9, bridging pages 9-10 paragraph (beginning at page 9, line 11) as follows:

Figure 3a - 3c shows in cross-section a joint for a panel according to a third embodiment of